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School mixes fun, engineering

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Lakeview Elementary School students participated in engineer-related activities at the second Engineering Day event held by volunteers from the Intel Corporation.

"This is a great way to expose the kids to the fun things of engineering at a young age," said John Depew, parent and Intel volun-



EID's plan is to "stay the course" in its conservation efforts, with the objective of reaching at least a

Folsom, which gets all its water from Folsom Lake, is steering a similar course. It will rely on cus-

access to water use data through a free app.

Called Dropcountr, it tracks how much water is

Drought, efforts to conserve continue

Local pilot programs aid

district will rely on continuing education and reminders that the county still is in a drought.

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degree, embarked on a successful career and found strength and support with her husband Blake.

When Dallas was in his 30s, he finally talked to Scribner about the brutality he had endured his entire life. Scribner then worked to adopt her brother and become his legal guardian.

"The book is really a journey of saving myself and a quest to save my special needs brother who could not save himself," Scribner said. "I think the book inspires



Shirlee Scribner of El Dorado Hills, wrote "Untangle: You Can't Save Others Until You Save Yourself."

are not alone in our struggle and that we can triumph over the negative parts of our lives. I think in overcoming adversity, I always tried to

courage, hope and strength to other people who are going through difficult situations. It also speaks that we

better myself and didn't want to be a part of tragedy."

Scribner has been married to Blake for 26 years and she has one son and two grandchildren. The couple also adopted a young girl to help provide her with a better life outside of foster care.

"I hope this is an uplifting book for people," she said. "I realized I couldn't help Dallas until I saved myself. Today he is doing very well and living in Sacramento."

Scribner said April is National Children's Awareness Month and she is

available to speak to local groups and organizations working to bring awareness to abuse of any kind.

"The biggest message I can tell people who witness or see abuse happening is when you see something, do something," Scribner said.

To learn more about Scribner's story or schedule her to speak at an upcoming event, call (925) 457-7679 or (925) 209-1490.

For more information on "Untangle: You Can't Save Others Until You Save Yourself," visit untanglethebook.com.